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### Response B

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 and in response to the Office Action in which the Examiner **finally rejected** claims 1 – 23 and which was mailed on January 27, 2005, the following remarks are submitted for your consideration. These remarks are being submitted in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

**Recitation of the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

**Responses to Rejections** begin on page 8 of this paper.